

MARYLAND GEOLOGICAL SURVEY
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COUNTIES (MD/PA) BALTIMORE/YORK

M&D milestone no. 42 (45)

MHT-HSI no. BA-1561

PROTECTED/ENDANGERED/MISSING

FIELD SHEET: MASON & DIXON LINE, MARYLAND-PENNSYLVANIA BOUNDARY MARKER SURVEY

LOCATION: USGS 7.5' quadrangle Norrisville UTM 18.36447.439776
original site/~~XXXXXX~~/date 1766 bench mark/date none observed

Off E/S West Liberty Rd, Gorsuch Mills, MD vicinity. About 900' E of rd, about 6' from S edge of Blevins orchard service lane, N edge of ^{sloping} deciduous woods, in shoulder about 2' above lane grade. Cannot be seen from West Liberty Rd; easily seen from lane when nearby & vegetation is dormant.

DIRECTIONS TO SITE:

From M&D 41 (44) at Leibs Rd: continue SW on Leibs Rd about 1.3 miles to its junction at W. Liberty Rd; turn right (N) & continue about 0.6 mile to farm service lane leading off to right (E) following N edge of deciduous woods. A mobile home

DESCRIPTION/MEASUREMENTS: original/~~replica~~/~~replacement~~/date 1766; squared oolitic limestone post, standing about 1' above ground; P on N/S; M on S/S (over)

N face (PA): 11½" wide x 13½" high; P scarcely discernible; whole face scarred, mottled by lichen, weatherworn
E face: 11½" wide x 12½" high; fluting weatherworn; bits of margins remain; big chip SE top corner
S face (MD): 11" wide x 11" high; M & most of circle panel clear & intact; most fluting & margins remain; big chips SE & SW/corners
W face: 11" wide x 11" high; most fluting & margins remain but weatherworn; chips all corners & edges
top: planes barely discernible; no fluting left; all surfaces weatherworn; big chips all corners
bench mark: none indicated on maps; none observed

CONDITION OF MARKER/FOUNDATION: excellent/good/fair/deteriorated/ruins/unexposed
1900-03 Resurvey notes (order no. 45), as in MGS Vol. 7, 1908, p. 85

45. Milestone No. 42, M. & D., 1766, in a fenceline and a short distance east of the road leading north from Gorsuch Mills, Md., to Stewartstown, Pa.

1950 Inspection notes (present order no. 43, photo no. 42) as in Bayliff, 1959, Appendix C, p. 98

45. Original monument on firm foundation; in generally good condition. Chipped on eastern side.

1979-80 Inspection notes: order no. 42 (45); photos/negatives/slides no. 42 (45)
42 (45). Original M&D milestone of 1766 in fairly good condition, firmly set; P eroded & scarred, M clear; top & N face weatherworn; chips all corners & edges. Protected by site.

SURROUNDING PROPERTY OWNERS (MD/PA): names, addresses, phones

MD: tax map 4, block 22, P. 20, deed 1017 /133, acres 81.54, index 07-02-085654
Rodney W. Burns/Anna E., RD 1, Stewartstown, PA 17363 (no phone listed)

PA: tax map AK, block, P. 1, deed 60-I /805, acres 94.00
Blevins Fruit Farm Inc., RD 1, Stewartstown, PA 17363, phone (717) 993-2885

RECORDED BY: names, addresses, phones, dates Alice Martin 2/10/80
14308 Mount Ave., Phoenix, MD 21131 Phone: (301) 472-2128

Assisted by (husband) Clyde E. Martin

Also see: reverse side X, B&W photos X, negatives X, color slides X, maps X,
MHT-HSI form, other X

DIRECTIONS TO SITE, continued

no is just N of lane entrance. There is no gate at this lane & there seems to be need to ask permission to walk or drive along it. Park at junction of lane with rd (since no convenient turn-around near stone); walk along lane to stone.

NOTES

B&W PHOTOS/NEGATIVES

5x7 NE corner (neg # 1980.6.18), Alice Martin 2/10/80
5x7 SW corner (neg # 1980.6.24), " "
3 1/2 x 5 View W of stone & setting (neg # 1980.6.20), Alice Martin 2/10/80

COLOR SLIDES

2x2 NE corner (1980.5.22), Alice Martin 2/10/80
2x2 SW corner (1980.5.16), " "
2x2 View SW, of stone, setting from Blevins orchard lane (1980.5.19), Alice Martin 2/10/80

OTHER
(COLOR PRINT)

3 1/2 x 5 SW corner (from slide 1980.5.16), Alice Martin 2/10/80

MAPS

USGS 7 1/2' topographic quadrangle section
1900-03 Resurvey engineer's map (Plates XVIII & XIX), updated
MD tax map section

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MASON/DIXON WEST LINE: MILESTONE 42 (45)

NORRISVILLE QUADRANGLE
MARYLAND - PENNSYLVANIA
USGS 7.5 MINUTE SERIES (TOPOGRAPHIC)
1957 PHOTO REV. 1974 SCALE: 1"=2000'

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GEOLOGICAL SURVEY

76°37'30" 361000m E.

2 320 000 FEET (PA.)



YORK 20 MI
WINTERSTOWN 6.3 MI

364 35'

5663 - SW
(GLEN ROCK)

39°45'

4401000m N

150 000 FEET
(PA.)

4399

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4397

42'30"

YORK, PA. 20 MI.
1.7 MI. TO INTERSTATE 83



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MASON & DIXON WEST LINE: PINESTONE RD. 42 (W5)
SW CORNER (-14)

PHOTO: ALICE MARTIN 2/10/80 (1980-6-24)



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MASON DIXON WEST LINE: MILESTONE NO. 42
LOOKING DUE WEST ALONG LINE & BLVD
FARM LAND, WHICH LEAD TO LIBERTY ROAD

PHOTO: ALICE MARTIN 2/10/80 (1980.6.20)

ST. 1E



MASON EDINCO WEST LINE: MILESTONE NO. 42 (25)
NE CORNER - (D)

PHOTO: ALICE MARTIN 2/12/80. (1980.6.15)



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Mason & Dixon West Line
Milestone 42 (Baltimore Co.)
SW corner (-/M)

from
Slide: Alice Martin 2/10/80
(1980.5.16)